

WIRELESS MESSAGES RECEIVED HERE
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FIRST EXPERIENCE
First Time That Such Messages Have Been Attracted to This City.

The first time in the history of the wireless messages were received here last night at about 9 p. m. by Sidney Sperry, University of Utah student and experimentalist in wireless telegraphy, residing at 1389 Third street. The messages, according to Sperry, were from San Francisco and Point Loma, Pacific coast station.

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SIDNEY SPERRY, young amateur operator who has received parts of two wireless messages passing between points on the coast, at his station in this city.



J. M. DAVIS BIDS FRIENDS GOOD-BY

Former General Superintendent of the Southern Pacific Visits Acquaintances in Zion.

J. M. Davis, former general superintendent of the Southern Pacific railroad, reached Salt Lake last night on a private car "San Jose" from San Francisco. Mr. Davis stopped over in this city in order to say good-bye to his friends and acquaintances. He is on his way to the east, where he will become general manager of an eastern road on January 1.

"I leave this city with much regret," said Mr. Davis last night. "I have many friends here and my wish is that my new field will be as pleasant to work in as the one I am leaving. At this time I am not at liberty to give the name of the road with which I will be connected. I shall stop over a day or two in Chicago and will then go to my new post."

Previous to the four years during which Mr. Davis was the general superintendent of the Southern Pacific he served in a similar capacity for the Oregon Short Line.

PARALYSIS CAUSES DEATH OF MRS. CUSHING
Mrs. Elizabeth Cushing, wife of George R. Cushing, died at the family residence, 164 East South Temple street, last night at 10:20 o'clock, after a long illness. She had been in poor health for several years, during which time she had lived a retired life, though she was active socially before her illness. The cause of her illness was paralysis, which had been in poor health for several years, during which time she had lived a retired life, though she was active socially before her illness.

YOUTH HURT WHEN SLED HITS FIRE PLUG
While coasting near his home, Clifford H. Hunsley, 15 years of age, son of J. E. Hunsley, of 166 E. 5th street, was injured yesterday afternoon when his sled, which was being pulled by a dog, hit a fire plug. The boy was seriously injured and is being cared for at home. The accident occurred on the corner of 5th and Main streets.

BIG SHOE COMPANY IS COMING TO ZION
Word was received here yesterday to the effect that the A. J. Bates shoe company of Webster, Mass., would soon open a large distributing branch in Salt Lake. The company, which is headed by Mr. Bates, is one of the largest shoe companies in the United States. The new branch will be located on Main street.

Tried to Sell Buggy, Arrested.
Because they were trying to sell a buggy and a horse, yesterday, W. H. Neal and W. J. Stewart, both of Idaho, were arrested by Mounted Patrolmen Cullen and Coffey. The men were found with a horse-drawn buggy and a horse. They were charged with selling stolen property.

Sells Liquor, Fined \$75.
A. Lamb, alleged keeper of a blind pig in Garfield, was sentenced yesterday to a fine of \$75 for selling liquor. The case was heard in the justice of the peace court. Lamb was found with a large quantity of liquor in his possession.

Bank Files Suit.
Merchants' bank filed suit in the court yesterday against the Day-Anderson Mining company to collect \$10,000, alleged to be due on a note. The bank also seeks \$2500 attorney fees. The suit was filed in the district court.

TRI-STATE GATHERING HAS COME TO CLOSE

Electrical Men Conclude Well-attended Convention With Banquet at Hotel Utah.

R. W. Nicol, president and general manager of the Capital Electric company of Salt Lake, which operates in Utah, Idaho and Montana, officiated as presiding officer and toastmaster last night at the Hotel Utah at a banquet attended by more than eighty managers and employees of the electrical companies of the three states. The occasion was the closing of the convention of the electrical men of the three states, which began Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Addresses were made at the banquet by a number of those present, one of the most interesting being that of Professor H. T. Plumb of the General Electric company of this city, whose organization, contrary to those of a competitive character in other lines of business, is affiliated with the Capital Electric in so far as the matter of supplies is concerned.

This convention, which has stretched over several days, is a semi-annual affair which brings together the electrical men of the three states mentioned, the meetings taking place in July and December, of which the winter meeting is the chief.

Representatives of two eastern moving picture houses in the electrical line were present last night, and gave demonstrations in favor of introducing their operations among the electrical men in the future, a movement that has been universal favor as being along the line of modern electrical practice.

The managers in attendance last evening were L. H. Allen and R. E. Allen of Helena, Mont.; C. H. Pitts of Billings, Mont.; L. N. Baker of Missoula, Mont.; H. Murphy of Butte, Mont.; A. C. Probst of Great Falls, Mont.; L. L. Busey of Boise, Idaho; W. Hall, Twin Falls, Idaho; H. G. Shaffer, Pocatello, Idaho; W. J. Bachman, Idaho Falls, Idaho; L. L. Hardy, Ogden; R. B. Brown, Pocatello, Idaho; and Robert Folland of the Capital Electric company, and Claude Kugler of the Salt Lake Electric supply company of this city.

FALL ON ICE FATAL TO DR. S. E. NEWTON
Dr. S. E. Newton, 36 years of age, for fifty years a resident and many years a practicing physician of Salt Lake, died at his home, 705 South Fifth street, yesterday morning. A year ago next month, Dr. Newton suffered injuries in a fall on ice-covered ground, which contributed to his death.

Dr. Newton is survived by one son, Samuel Newton of American Fork, and by two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Newton and Mrs. Isabel Peterson of this city. Mrs. Newton died in this city in June, 1909.

MATRON SURPRISED WHILE SEARCHING GIRLS
Matron Hanna Stokes was startled when, in searching two women prisoners at an early hour this morning, she found a seven-inch bowie knife hidden in a coat in the manner of a plait of hair. The women were arrested on suspicion of robbing A. Fletcher of \$40. They gave their names as Loretta Melrose and Ethel Wilson.

The Melrose woman had the knife and the Wilson woman had the bottle. Both were turned over to Desk Sergeant William Keyting by Matron Stokes to be confiscated.

FUNDS FOR FEEDING POOR ARE EXHAUSTED
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—City funds for feeding the unemployed here have been exhausted. The question of taking care of men without work was considered yesterday at a conference attended by Mayor James D. Rolph, Jr., and members of the public welfare committee of the board of supervisors. The supervisors also discussed the problem.

It was reported to the supervisors that nearly 1000 men had arrived in San Francisco Sunday, following the announcement that the city was to provide work for the unemployed at \$1.50 for four hours' work. Announcement was also made that railroad laborers who had been working eight and ten hours for starvation wages and other corporations had quit and were applying for jobs with the city.

Army Orders.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Major John P. Ryan, Sixth cavalry, will report to commanding officer, Walter Reed general hospital, District of Columbia, for observation and treatment. Captain Jesse D. Langdon, field artillery, will join his regiment. Under instructions from the president, Major W. J. Hawkins, ordnance department, is assigned to duty as commander of the Federal Ordnance and Cannon, vice Lieutenant Colonel J. E. Hoffer, ordnance department, relieved.

Would Sell Children.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—Stephen Goddard, unable to support his children, Margaret, 8, and Stephen, 6, today advertised them for sale. He wants \$2000 for the girl and \$1000 for the boy. "A girl is worth more than a boy," he says.

Artist Kills Self.
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Mollie Chaffinch, an artist, was found dead in her studio this afternoon, with a steel paper cutter driven through her heart. Apparently it was a case of suicide.

OGDEN DEPARTMENT OFFICE—2562 WASHINGTON AVENUE. PHONES 664 AND 1894. Office Hours—8 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.; 3 p. m. to 5 p. m.

MORE CLERKS EMPLOYED.

Differences Between Assessor and Commissioners Partially Settled.

Special to The Tribune.
OGDEN, Dec. 29.—Upon notification by County Assessor Thomas E. Mathews that he had entered upon the preparation of the 1914 assessment blotters, the county commissioners today authorized the payment of the regular \$3 per diem salaries for the two clerks already employed in the office and three additional clerks. The clerks and monthly salaries are: J. A. Mathews, J. W. Gibson, Walter W. Eise, Julia Fygar and Irela Chambers.

Although the commissioners have refused to pay the salaries of Deputies Gibson and Mathews, because they contended that Assessor T. E. Mathews should spend more time in his office, the board authorized their per diem, and also that of the three additional deputies, beginning today. The communication from Assessor Mathews to the board was a formal notification that the five clerks were at work and had previously been confirmed by the commissioners.

The suit begun by Deputy Mathews against the commissioners in an effort to collect his salary for work done in October of this year is still pending in the district court and will be tried on its merits within a few days.

PREPARE FOR GRAND JURY.
Rooms in County Building Being Renovated for Blackhand Investigation.

Special to The Tribune.
OGDEN, Dec. 29.—In preparation for the grand jury session which is to be held for further investigation of the Blackhand case, the county building is being renovated and placed in proper condition for the accommodation of the jury, by two modern electric fans, which are to be housed behind closed doors. The jury rooms at the county building are in the east of Judge J. A. Howell's courtroom.

According to the present plan the grand jury will enter upon its deliberations next Monday. The seven selected from the twenty-five will be instructed by Judges Howell and N. J. Harris as to the duties of the grand jury in the county building since Utah was admitted to statehood.

COUNTY SCHOOLS REOPEN.
Early Resumption Is in Order to Help Pupils at Close of Session.

Special to The Tribune.
OGDEN, Dec. 29.—After one week's vacation, instead of the two weeks which are allowed in the Ogden city public schools, the public schools of Weber county will reopen today following the holiday vacation. Nearly all of the students reported this morning and Superintendent W. N. Peterson believes that the pupils are better fitted to take up their studies than if they had been granted two weeks' vacation.

According to Peterson, by resuming school sessions after one week at the holidays the students of the county schools will have lost only one week at the holidays. Superintendent Peterson contended that the students of the county are satisfied with only one week for the Christmas holidays.

MAY TILT THE "LID."
Ogden Police Department Expected to Be Lenient With Merry-makers.

Special to The Tribune.
OGDEN, Dec. 29.—If the movement on the part of several well-meaning citizens is successful, there will be a slight tilting of the 9 o'clock lid in Ogden Wednesday night in honor of the New Year's celebration. While the matter has not yet been put squarely up to the city commissioners, it is possible that the city will give the district a special standing and leave their watches home tomorrow evening.

According to those behind the movement that the Weber club has taken steps to offer ample entertainment for its members. When questioned this afternoon, Mayor A. G. Fell declared that the question had not been officially put up to the city commissioners.

LOPEZ MANHUNT IS STILL UNCHANGED
Special to The Tribune.
BINGHAM, Dec. 29.—No new feature developed today in connection with the Lopez man-hunt. The situation promises to remain unchanged, so far as appearances go. The man-hunt is still on, and the mine shall be made, some time this week. The strict guard of the possible entrance to the mine is being kept up, however, and it is confidently expected by those who have been in connection with the man-hunt since the Lopez case, that the man will be found there, either dead or alive, in spite of skepticism expressed by many.

TEACHERS IN CONVENTION.
Idaho State Association Meets in Boise With Large Attendance.

Special to The Tribune.
BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 29.—The Idaho State Teachers' association opened its annual meeting today, with a meeting with the educational council. The convention opened with the address of Professor Willis S. Brown of Moscow and was in session the entire day.

One of the strongest features, as well as a new feature, this year is a child welfare day, when all of the teachers in attendance. Tonight Superintendent H. Francis of Los Angeles delivered an address on "The School and the Community."

The educational council opened with the report of R. Siders of Pocatello in the chair. President Black of the Lewiston school board and Miss Elizabeth Harcourt, school nurse for Boise schools, gave papers relating to health inspection in schools. Departmental meetings were held in the afternoon.

GIVEN LONG SENTENCE.
Incendiary at Pocatello Sent to Prison for Twenty-five or More Years.

Special to The Tribune.
POCATELLO, Idaho, Dec. 29.—Charged with being the leader of an organized gang of bootleggers and burglars, and with having committed several crimes, including the burning of the home of a prominent citizen, a man named Grant was this morning sentenced to twenty-five years or more in the state penitentiary. Attorney Jesse Budge, for the defendant, gave notice of filing a motion for a new trial, and ten days was given in which to prepare the motion.

Strong Blood

Or weak blood governs for good or ill every part of the body. The medicine that makes weak blood pure and strong is HODG'S SANSAPARILLA. For over a third of a century it has been the leading blood purifier.

LIBERAL LAWS FOR ALASKA ADOPTED
Commissioner of General Land Office Would Encourage Immigration North.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Liberal concessions to the homesteaders of Alaska, on whom the future development of the natural resources of the territory depends, are recommended by the general land office, in its annual report submitted to the secretary of the interior today.

In order to encourage the homesteader to go to Alaska, Mr. Tallman points out, "It is necessary that the laws be made as liberal as possible. The activity of the homestead laws now applied to Alaska is so difficult to overcome to conditions in the territory. Mr. Tallman recommends the area of entries subject to homestead usage should be reduced to 160 acres; the area of required cultivation should be reduced to one-fourth of the entire area the second year; and the time for the third year, and that an absence of six months each year to homesteaders should be permitted, notwithstanding that the applicant may have acquired title to a homestead in the territory. Mr. Tallman asserts that the land office agents, the report says, in investigating claims taken under false pretenses and timber deductions, have operated during the year to restore Alaskan claims to a more stable basis than has heretofore existed."

Pending the cooperation of legislation affecting the development of Alaskan coal fields and railroad construction by the commissioner, Mr. Tallman asserts that he will make a recommendation relating to these projects.

Holiday Greetings.
Holiday greetings of the district freight and passenger departments of the Oregon Short Line railroad have been distributed among the friends and patrons of the department.

The Oregon Short Line railroad has distributed among the friends and patrons of the department a handsome holiday folder, with an appropriate holiday sentiment.

Soldiers Going West.
A special train carrying 300 soldiers on the way from St. Louis to San Francisco passed through Salt Lake early yesterday morning. The train came in on the Denver & Rio Grande and went out on the Western Pacific.

Off for Denver.
For the purpose of conferring with the general traffic manager and general freight agent of the Denver & Rio Grande, S. V. Derrah, assistant general freight agent of the Denver & Rio Grande, has gone to Denver for three days' trip.

Being on the firing line of opportunity, in close touch with the needs of individuals and business by a constant use of The Tribune Wants, gainful chances are at hand for those who make use of Want Ad information.

To Review Valuations.
In preparation for the work of reviewing the valuations to be sent in by the various corporations of the state early in February, including oil, gas, coal, power and pipe line companies, members of the state board of equalization yesterday sent out at least 5000 estimate blanks. The board will hold a meeting to make tax assessments the first Monday in March.

Many Congratulations.
E. R. Lels, general agent of the Santa Fe route, has been the recipient of many letters of congratulations since he sent out, December 29, his card of greetings before Christmas. The card of greetings was one of the handsomest seen this season and showed in a steel engraving Santa Fe trains leaving over the rear end of a Santa Fe train.

Shoop Formally Resigns.
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—John B. Shoop, whose election as superintendent of Chicago public schools to succeed Mrs. Ella Flagg Young was canceled several days ago, today formally resigned his position. His resignation was accepted by the board of education. Shoop has held his position as first assistant superintendent.

Court Rules Announced.
JUDGE A. B. Morgan of the Fourth District Issues Instructions.

Special to The Tribune.
PROVO, Dec. 29.—Judge A. B. Morgan of the Fourth district court today announced the following rules for 1914: Every Monday, except such Mondays as shall be a legal holiday, shall stand for hearing of the filing of the pleadings, except such law suits with-out notice, provided such issue be raised (paper be served and filed) at least ten days prior to such rule day.

Attorneys and duly licensed auctioneers only will be allowed to take the stand in the office of the clerk, all fees to be received for and returned within seven days. No creditor from this rule will be permitted except upon the express order of the judge.

Judge Morgan also announced that in probate cases the yearly rental would be estimated at 10 per cent of the appraised value of the property of the estate.

Funeral Largely Attended.
Special to The Tribune.
PROVO, Dec. 29.—There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the funeral of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, which was held at the Congregational church today. The service was held at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Philip King and the Rev. E. H. Goodwin, vocal selections were rendered by the church choir.

Minimum Fine Imposed.
Special to The Tribune.
MONROE, Dec. 29.—Don C. Davis of Austin was fined \$50 here today by Justice Lewis Baker for illicit selling of liquor. Davis was convicted before a jury in the justice's court and at the request of the jury the minimum fine was imposed.

Baby Daughter Dies.
Special to The Tribune.
EUREKA, Dec. 29.—Sylvia Amanda, the 6-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Smith, died Sunday afternoon of pneumonia. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the Episcopal church.

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Those who have tried us never think of anybody else.

Ask us about FREE STORAGE.

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159 Main St. Tel. Wasatch 855.

UNITED STATES TO SECURE MONOPOLY

Secretary Lane Proposes to Withdraw From Entry Land Containing Radium.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Secretary Lane proposes to withdraw all lands of the public domain suspected of containing radium, that these precious deposits may be secured for the general good and not become the subject of private speculation.

Mr. Lane outlined his plan today in a letter to Chairman Foster of the house mines and minerals committee, urging immediate passage of a joint congressional resolution to empower President Wilson to make the withdrawal.

By the terms of the proposed resolution the secretary of the interior would be authorized to conduct explorations and researches with a view to determining the practicability of developing from such ores a supply of radium and to provide for the mining and treatment of radium-bearing ores in such manner as would best secure a supply of radium for the use of the government of the United States and the hospitals of this country.

In view of the known effectiveness of radium in the treatment of cancer and the difficulty now experienced in obtaining it, Secretary Lane says that as one person in every ten in this country more than 50 years of age suffers from cancer, "it is difficult to overestimate the necessity for securing immediately as large a supply as possible of this element."

Continuing, the secretary says: "Radium is found in ores carrying uranium and vanadium, which are used extensively in the arts, and processes which it is extracted are secret. A process has been invented by the chemists of our bureau of mines which, however, from the laboratory experiments thus far made, to be successful. Under the employment of two Americans, a building is now being erected in Denver (which, with its equipment, will be opened for work in the coming February) in which an effort will be made to prove the commercial possibility of this American process. If successful, the process will be given to the world, and all of the radium secured over and above a small minimum will be the property of the United States and will be put into the hands of the United States public health service for public use."

Reaches Age of 94.
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—General Edwin Louis Hayer, the oldest general in the United States, is celebrating his ninety-fourth birthday today at his home in Bloomsdale, N. Y.

Radway's Ready Relief

Sore Throat and Colds.
RADWAY'S READY RELIEF, at all druggists. RADWAY & CO., New York. (Advertisement.)

DIED.
CLINTON, At the family residence, 144 East South Temple street, Monday, December 29, 1913, of paralysis, Mrs. Elizabeth Cushing, wife of George R. Cushing. Funeral announcement later.

REST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.
Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over SIXTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with the BEST RESULTS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLEYS ALL PAIN; CURE COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA, pro- duces a healthy baby. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

ROYAL Baking Powder Absolutely Pure
SALT LAKE ENGRAVING CO. SUCCESSORS: TRIBUNE ART DEPT. FINE CUTS. REAR TRIBUNE OFFICE.

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Then you will have a clean and healthy scalp. No more hair loss. No more rough, scraggly hair. Does not color. Ask Your Doctor. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.